

IN THE SPECIFICATION

1. Please replace the title of the application with the following:

--AIR BEARING FOR MEMS BASED MOTOR--

2. In the "Brief Description of the Figures" please replace the paragraph describing "Fig. 4" beginning on page 4, at line 9, with the following paragraphs:

--Fig. 4(a) is a cross section of a first substrate that can be produced from the substrate of Fig. 2;

Fig. 4(b) is a cross section of a second substrate that can be produced from the substrate of Fig. 2;--

3. In the "Brief Description of the Figures" please replace the paragraph describing "Fig. 14" beginning on page 4, at line 27, with the following paragraph:

--Fig. 14(a)-(c) show the effect of a second air bearing between the shaft and the rotor in an alternate embodiment of the invention.--